OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES, BANGALORE.

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NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 15TH FEBRUARY 1969.

No. STS 1877/68-69. *1 Plague*:—The State remained free from plague during the week as in the previous week. Comparative figures for the corresponding week during 1967 and 1968 were nil attacks with nil deaths and ni attacks with nil deaths, respectively.

2 Small-pox:—The State remained free from Small-pox during the week under report, as against 73 attacks with 8 deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year. As a preventive measure 6080 vaccinations have been done.

3 Cholera:—A total of 22 attacks with nil deaths from cholera was reported for the entire State *viz.*, from the town of Mulbagal and Taluk of Mulbagal during the week as against 6 attacks with 2 deaths reported during the corresponding week of the last year. As a preventive measure, 9348 anti-cholera inoculations have been done.

4 K.F. Diseases:—A total of 30 attacks with 3 deaths from K. F. Disease was reported from Shimoga District, as against 29 attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

5 (a) Yellow Fever, Relapsing Fever, Infectious Hepatities and Influenza:—The State remained free from Yellow Fever, relapsing fever and Influenza in epidemic form as against nil attacks with nil deaths during the corresponding week of the previous year.

(*b*) 5 cases with nil deaths from infectious Hepatities have been reported from Military Hospital, Bangalore, K. M C. Hospttal, Hubli and C. D. Dispensary, T. Narasipur, during the week under report.

(*c*) *Dengue and Haemmorragic Fever* :—The State remained free from Dengue and Haemmorragic Fever during the week as in the corresponding week of the last year.

6 *City and Corporation*: —The total mortality for Bangalore City Corporation amounted to 224 (84 in hospitals) for the week as against 302 (105 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 11.4 (7.1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid year estimated) as against 15.9 (10.4 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths 6 due to dysentery and diarrhoea, 4 due to consumption and 214 due to all other causes, as against 31 due to dysentery and diarrhoea, 7 due to consumption and 264 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for Mysore City amounted to 9 (9 in hospitals) for the week as against 53 (27 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 1.8 (nil excluding hospital death) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 10.6 (5.2 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths one due to Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 8 due to all other causes, as against 5 due to other fevers, 2 due to consumption and 46 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for K. G. F. City amounted to 8 (8 in hospitals) for the week as against 5 (4 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 2.5 (nil excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 1.5 (nil excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, one due to dysentery and diarrhoea and 7 due to all other causes as against one due to typhoid and 4 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The Report of the Belgaum City has not been received.

The total mortality of Mangalore City amounted to 3 (nil inhospitals) for the week as against 69 (60 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year giving a calculated death rate of 0.9 (nil excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 22.5 (2.9 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, one was due to other fevers, 2 due to all other causes, as against 4 due to other fevers, one due to dysentery and diarrhoea, 8 due to consumption and 56 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

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